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TO : Security Officer/CIA  
FROM : Assistant Chief, Inspection Division  
SUBJECT: Proposed Anti-penetration Survey

DATE: 26 September 1951

1. Pursuant to your oral instructions of 20 September, there is attached a proposed plan to survey the vulnerability to penetration of CIA Headquarters. (Tab A).
2. The proposed plan presents points which are considered to be the principle possible penetration routes into the Agency. Under each point are listed those factors which may contribute to vulnerability. The proposed test of each vulnerability factor is presented immediately thereafter, and would constitute the survey.
3. In formulating this plan, emphasis has been placed entirely on the possibility of penetration. However, in considering this problem the question of security practices in general naturally arises. Many points thus raised are considered to be collateral to the primary problem of penetration. Several of these points are presented on a separate list. (Tab B). In your consideration of the implementation of the proposed plan, your desires regarding any survey action on this collateral listing will be appreciated.

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2 Nov - Col Edwards instructed  
to go ahead with items checked  
on basis of comments as noted

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